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Inventor: Carl Cetera
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Title: Big Clip Pen
Examiner: Nguyen, Tuan N
Art Unit: 3751

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED 07/23/2004

This is a response to the Office Action mailed 07/23/2004 having a response due 10/23/2004. The following remarks and amendments are respectfully submitted.

REMARKS

Claim Objections:

Applicant notes the Examiner objected to claims 1 and 14 based on informalities. The Applicant attaches hereto amended claims 1 and 14 which address the cited informalities. Applicant respectfully requests Examiner review these claim amendments and recognize that the application is now in condition for allowance.

Claim Rejection based on 35 U.S.C. §102:

Claims 1-6; 8-11; 14-18; and 20-22:

The Examiner noted Claims 1-6, 8-11, 14-18 and 20-22 are rejected as anticipated by Krause (1808045) under 35 U.S.C. §102. The mechanism described and claimed by Krause,



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